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SUBJECT: REPORTS OF REFINERY IN RAS AL-KHAIMAH A LIKELY
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KUWAIT CONSUL GENERAL'S COMMENTS PARA 3 REFTTEL ON UNLIKELIHOOD
OF KUWAIT ACTUALLY GOING THROUGH WITH RAS AL-KHAIMAH REFINERY
ARE CORRECT. AS WE HAVE REPORTED FREQUENTLY, NEW OIL
MINISTER SHAIKH ALI KHALIFA AL-SABAH TAKES A HIGHLY CRITICAL
VIEW OF PROPOSED JOINT VENTURE OIL PROJECTS INVOLVING KUWAITI
FUNDS. KUWAIT MAY SPEND SOME MONEY FOR A FEASIBILITY STUDY
ON THE RAS AL-KHAIMAH REFINERY TO FOLLOW THROUGH PROMISES
POSSIBLY MADE BY ALI KHALIFA'S PREDECESSOR. HOWEVER, ANY SUCH
STUDY IS LIKELY TO GATHER DUST QUICKLY, JUST LIKE ALL THE
OTHER STUDIES ON PROPOSED JOINT REFINERIES IN INDONESIA,
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